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PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Sir:

In connection with the Office Action dated February 20, 2008 in the aboveentitled application, Applicants respectfully request a two (2) month extension in which to file a response, from May 20, 2008 to July 20, 2008.

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Since the due date for filing a response with a petition for two (2) month extension of time fell on Sunday, July 20, 2008, a response is being timely filed on Monday, July 21, 2008.

The fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) is submitted herewith. Also, please provide any further extensions of time which may be necessary and charge any fees which may be due to Deposit Account No. 13-0014, but not to include any payment of issue fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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